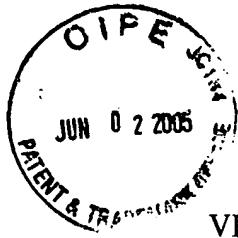


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Dear Mr. Sarkar:

In response to your letter of May 12, 2005 requiring restrictions to patent application No. 10/611,633, the inventors, Yingjian Chen and Xiaozhong Dang, hereby elect without traverse that Inventions Group I to be examined. Invention I includes claims 1 to 17, drawn to a method of isolating nanotubes, classified in class 210, subclass 695.

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